

# GEORGIA MEDICAID FEE-FOR-SERVICE NALOXONE PRODUCTS PA SUMMARY

Preferred	Non-Preferred
Naloxone solution for injection generic	Evzio (naloxone solution for injection)
Narcan Nasal Spray (naloxone nasal solution)*	

<sup>\*</sup>Preferred agent that requires prior authorization.

## **LENGTH OF AUTHORIZATION:** 1 Year

#### NOTE:

❖ If medication is being administered in a physician's office then the medication must be billed through the DCH physician's injectable program and not the outpatient pharmacy program. Information regarding the physician's injectable program is located at www.mmis.georgia.gov.

### PA CRITERIA:

Evzio

❖ For treatment of suspected or known opioid overdose in members at risk for opioid-induced respiratory depression, prescriber must submit a written letter of medical necessity stating the reasons the preferred products, generic naloxone solution for injection and Narcan Nasal Spray, are not appropriate for the member.

## Narcan Nasal Spray

Approvable for treatment of suspected or known opioid overdose in members at risk for opioid-induced respiratory depression when member's family member or caregiver is unable to administer generic naloxone solution for injection.

## **EXCEPTIONS:**

- Exceptions to these conditions of coverage are considered through the prior authorization process.
- ❖ The Prior Authorization process may be initiated by calling OptumRx at 1-866-525-5827.

## PREFERRED DRUG LIST:

❖ For online access to the Preferred Drug List (PDL), please go to http://dch.georgia.gov/preferred-drug-lists.

## PA AND APPEAL PROCESS:

❖ For online access to the PA process, please go to <a href="www.dch.georgia.gov/prior-authorization-process-and-criteria">www.dch.georgia.gov/prior-authorization-process-and-criteria</a> and click on Prior Authorization (PA) Request Process Guide.



## **QUANTITY LEVEL LIMITATIONS:**

❖ For online access to the current Quantity Level Limits (QLL), please go to <a href="https://www.mmis.georgia.gov/portal">www.mmis.georgia.gov/portal</a>, highlight Provider Information and click on Provider Manuals. Scroll to the page with Pharmacy Services and select that manual.